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**AMERICAN MEDICAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION  
HOUSE OF DELEGATES 2016  
RESOLUTION: B2**

INTRODUCED BY:	Deborah V. Hall MD, National President; Michael Sparks, International Trustee; Joshua Weinstock, Vice President for Internal Affairs; Stefanie Smith, Premedical Trustee; Rinku Skaria, Vice President for Membership; Rita Kuwahara, Vice President for Leadership Development; Kelly Thibert, National President-Elect; Aliye Runyan MD, Graduate Trustee
SCHOOL:	University of Connecticut School of Medicine; Ross University School of Medicine; Cooper Medical School of Rowan University; University of Missouri; University of Arizona College of Medicine - Tucson; University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill School of Medicine; Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine; Wayne State University/Detroit Medical Center
SUBJECT:	Graduate Trustee Election
TYPE:	Resolution of Internal Affairs

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1 WHEREAS the Graduate Trustee must be properly elected by a caucus of their peers, and;

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3 WHEREAS the proper membership category for the members of that caucus is not accurately reflected by the language in  
4 the Constitution and Bylaws;

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6 **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Internal Affairs Section I.D shall be amended by addition to read:

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8 1. The **Graduate and** Professional Caucus shall elect the Graduate Trustee. Any candidate for Graduate Trustee must  
9 be a ~~professional~~ member of the Association as defined by Article III and satisfy one of the following criteria: 1)  
10 Have earned an M.D. or D.O. degree; or 2) Anticipate earning an M.D. or D.O. degree by July 1 of the current  
11 year AND have previously served as a national officer in the Association.  
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- 13 2. Qualifications to participate in voting for the Graduate Trustee shall be:
- 14 a. Professional member of the Association as defined in Article III, ~~Section I~~, or
  - 15 b. Medical member of the Association as defined in Article III, Section 3, subsection A, who also meets the  
16 qualifications of being a graduating senior of the Association, expecting to receive an M.D. or D.O. degree in  
17 the same academic year of the election.
  - 18 c. **Graduate member of the Association as defined in Article III.**

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21 Fiscal note: None